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- 3. (Amended) A method as claimed in any one of the previous claims claim 1, wherein the efficiency of an anti-hydrate additive is tested by adding it to said fluid sample in determined proportions.
- (Amended) A method as claimed in any one of the previous claims claim 1, wherein T1 and T2 are 20°C and 35°C respectively.
- 5. (Amended) A method as claimed in any one of the previous claims claim 1, wherein the thermograms are obtained with a temperature gradient ranging between 0.5 and 5°C/minute, preferably at 2°C/minute.
- (Amended) A method as claimed in any one of the previous claims claim 1,
 wherein CH4 is used for said gas.
- 7. (Amended) A system for implementing the method as claimed in any one of the previous claims claim 1, characterized in that it comprises in combination: a calorimetric measuring device, means for placing the measuring cell of said device under pressure by means of a hydrocarbon gas, thermogram recording means.

